

AERIAL PHOTO above shows the plant of Pacific Smelting Co., Inc., at 22219 S. Western ave. Pacific Smelting produces all grades of slab zinc metal for the galvanizing trade and for steel mills. Typical end products are galvanized water pipe, hot water heaters, chain link fences, and corrugated roofing.

Pacific Smelting Sets Up Scholarship for Local Boys

To encourage the interest of Torrance boys in science and engineering, Pacific Smelting Co. has initiated a scholarship for graduates of local high schools.

A spokesman for the company, whose local plant is one of the largest zinc processing plants in the country, said the scholarship is \$500 a year for five years.

Only boys who are about to graduate from a Torrance High School and who plan a career in either science or engineering are eligible for the scholarship.

The company makes its selection of a recipient only after a personal interview with each applicant. Last year the scholarship was awarded to Lawrence Lee George, now an engineering student at UCLA.

Pacific Smelting, whose local plant is located at 22219 S. Western Ave. produces all grades of slab zinc metal for the galvanizing trade and steel mills.

The company also produces French process zinc oxide, zinc dust and various types of zinc alloys.

The slab is the basic metal in a hot dip galvanizing process used to protect steel from atmospheric corrosion.

Typical end products of this process are galvanized water pipe, hot water heaters, chain link fences and corrugated roofing.

For many years the company has been a major supplier of zinc slab and zinc alloys to the western still mills, water heater manufacturers, hot dip galvanizers and brass foundries.

The company has also added paint, rubber and ceramic industries to its list of customers.

Operations are now conducted on a 24-hour a day basis, seven days a week. The physical plant occupies an area of nearly eight acres.

Products are distributed by rail, truck, and a considerable amount by water.

Pacific Smelting was started in the early 30's and in 1943 was acquired by Jack and Maury Schwartz. Present officials of the firm include Jack Schwartz, chairman of the board; M. D. Schwartz, president; Julian I. Schwartz, vice-president; John O. Schwartz, vice-president; Alben Klatzker, secretary; and Mrs. Jack Schwartz, treasurer.

City Buses Carry 2100 Riders Daily

Although there appears to be a nation-wide tendency for commuters and shoppers to do less traveling by bus, the local bus line is continuing to carry about the same number of riders as last year.

Marshall Chamberlain, superintendent for Torrance Municipal Bus Lines, said an average of 2100 persons per day were carried on the regular bus routes of the lines last year.

"And that average would be just about the same the year," Chamberlain said. "Not much more and not much less."

He said the municipal line has a fleet of 15 buses. Eight of those are 45-passenger diesels, two are 31-passenger diesels which are two-year-old, and five others are older buses which will be replaced as the money becomes available.

The Municipal Bus Lines began operating between Torrance and Los Angeles in 1941 and in the following two years service was extended to Welteria and the Harbor Hills area.

In 1947 the buses started running between the City of Hawthorne and Long Beach via North Torrance. Service between Redondo Beach Blvd. and Broadway in Hawthorne has been discontinued and now terminates at Redondo Beach Blvd. and Hawthorne ave.

Service between Torrance and Los Angeles via North Torrance was inaugurated in January, 1953, all bus routes consisting of 80 one-way miles.

A zone fare system is used, minimum fare being 15 cents and maximum being 45 cents.

School children under 21 years old ride for half fare by means of a 30-ride commuters' book.

The line now has 15 buses, 22 operators and 18 shop employees. The shop services all city equipment, with the exception of police and fire equipment.

Charter service is available in addition to regular passenger service, Chamberlain said.

Torrance Water District Adds More Mains for Consumer Facilities

Decision Pending on Extension of Service to More Residents

Improvements made in the facilities of the Torrance Municipal Water District last year and others to be started this spring amount to a total cost of \$334,000, according to Superintendent Angus McVicar.

These improvements were financed, he said, with allocations of \$320,000 and \$190,000 which the City Council earmarked in 1957 and 1958, respectively, for

Water District use.

A principal objective of these improvements, McVicar said, has been to supply a larger flow of water to the Southwest Corner, which, he said, was "one of the hardest hit areas during the very dry spell we had last year."

This was partially accomplished last fall with installation of a 16-inch cross-feeder, running from Torrance Blvd. to Sepulveda Blvd. in Hawthorne, a distance of about 4400 feet.

The District also brought in 6800 feet of 24-inch line, which runs along Pacific Coast Hwy. from Walnut to Crenshaw, and provides another connection with the Metropolitan Water District of Southern California.

McVicar listed the new facilities to be installed this spring as:

A 20-inch line along Lomita Blvd. from Crenshaw to Hawthorne ave.

A 12-inch line along 230th St. from Hawthorne to Ocean ave., and then reduced to 10-inch and carried over to Anza ave., it will connect with an existing 8-inch main.

Extension of the eight-inch line at Anza ave. to Calle Mayor.

Extension of the 12-inch line on Ocean ave. from 226th St. to Pacific Coast Hwy.

McVicar said the district now serves 15,506 customers. Officially, the district is designated as Torrance Municipal Water District No. 3.

It was formed in 1952, consolidating two previously existing districts and taking in some additional areas not previously reached by municipal water.

Torrance-Lomita Realty Board Membership Hits New Peak of 220 Members This Spring

Since the beginning of 1958, there have been numerous changes in the real estate picture of Torrance-Lomita Realty Board of Realtors. From a membership low of 189 in 1957, the number has pushed up to the new high of 220 members in 1958.

Officers and directors of the Torrance-Lomita board have had several changes in personnel as follows:

Bob Haggard replaced Roy Shaw as president; Jerry Alter replaced Eliza Travioli as director; Ken Miller replaced Perry Connert, director; Brad Barfield replaced William H. Tolson Jr. as director upon his resignation.

The following officers remain in office: Harry Bowker, vice-president; W. E. Bowen, treasurer; Rose Craig, secretary; L. J. Gilmeister, executive secretary; Joan Wilkenson, assistant secretary. Edith Smith and Chris Sorenson retained their director positions.

The following Realtors have become board members since the 1957 roster has been printed: George Fisher, Lomita; Bill

Keith, Torrance; Henry Mahler, Torrance; Frontier Realty (Del Wright), Torrance; Bob Climie, Harbor City; Larry Fritzen, Torrance; Horace Hobbs, Wilmington; Harold E. Hutchinson, Torrance; Willard Jones, Torrance; Howard Jacobs, North Torrance; Ken Miller Realty, Lomita; Provincial Realty, Welteria; Royal Sinderson, North Torrance; Robert Trujillo, Wilmington; William Wilson, Gardena; and Clayton Realty, Torrance.

The following committee chairmen have changed:

John Clayton for C. P. Olson on Multiple Listing; Bill McEwen and Don Wolf for McEwen and C. P. Olson on the Caravan; Bob Tolson for C. J. Ryan, Court of Ethics; W. E. Bowen, Finance (new); H. J. Osborne for W. E. Bowen, by-laws; Lee Dawson for Robert Bowker, education; Brad Barfield for Albert England, attendance; Alyce O'Rourke for Bob Haggard; program; Lee Wilson for Bob Haggard, publicity; Jerry Alter, industrial (same); Tom Delaney, public re-

lations (new); and Genwa Meara, Women's Council.

CREA directors are as follows: Harry Bowker, Paul Cameron, Ray Moyer, Perry Connert and Edith Smith.

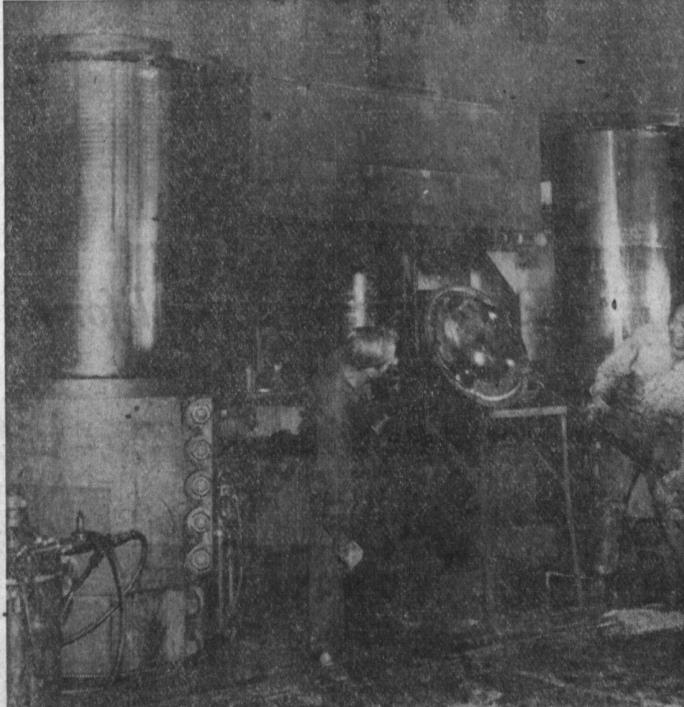
On March 1, the Torrance-Lomita Realty Board instituted the new policy of photo multiple listings. This is one of the most important advances of the board since its beginning in 1935. Harry Bowker turned in the first photo listing. The property was located at 26238 Ozone, Harbor City. Tom Delaney sold the first photo listing at 24118 S. Marbella, Wilmington, which was listed by Irene Bourne for Theresa Denton Realty.

According to Board President Bob Haggard, many more steps of progress have been planned for 1958. However, he also declared that becoming a Realtor will not be as easy as it has been in the past. Specific high standards must be met, which means that a person wishing to join the Board of Realtors must have a record of unquestioned integrity, and must live by and believe in the "Golden Rule," which is the law of the Realtor.

The real estate buyer and seller should remember this fact when he wants to buy or sell real estate, and should for his own protection not just call a real estate person but a Certified Realtor.

The Torrance-Lomita Realty Board would like to extend its thanks to the Title Insurance & Trust Company for its wonderful donation in the little black Realtors' Handbook, for it is invaluable and is appreciated by all members.

Thanks also are in order for the splendid cooperation for all the advertising and publicity given the board by their local newspaper, the Torrance Press.



HARVEY ALUMINUM FORGING PRESS—This 8000-ton hydraulic forging press in operation at Harvey's Torrance plant is the largest in the West. The more common applications for aluminum press forgings made by Harvey's bat-

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Harvey Aluminum employs more than 2500 engineers, technicians, metallurgists, and skilled production personnel in its expansive Torrance plant, and for every person the company employs, 60 are employed in outside industry.

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Attorneys Open New Office Here

Two attorneys, Charles F. Catterlin and Rudolph Limon have established offices for the general practice of law at 2359 Torrance Blvd. according to President O. R. Trueblood of the Torrance Chamber of Commerce.

Trueblood said the newcomers, who are credit attorneys, have already become very active in civic affairs.

Catterlin is a graduate of Manual Arts High School, University of Southern California and Hastings College of Law, University of California. An Army veteran of World War II, he later spent two years working as Wage and Salary Administrator for the Atomic Energy Commission at the Pacific Proving Ground.

Limon, a native Santa Barbara, is from the University of California, where he majored in Psychology and an Honor Graduate from Hastings College of Law. He was elected to Order of the COIF and local scholastic achievement societies. A Korean War Veteran, he spent two years overseas in the Far East before returning to his legal education.

Both are active members of Phi Alpha Delta Legal Fraternity.

Douglas Workers Get Pay Increase

A three-cents-an-hour cost-of-living increase will go into effect May 5 for \$3,468 hourly employees of Douglas Aircraft Company throughout Southern California, company officials announced today. The raise will add \$3,886,403 to the firm's annual payroll.

Based on the Bureau of Labor statistics index, the increase will bring the total cost of living hikes received by Douglas hourly workers in the past 21 months to 16 cents per hour.

Northrop Grants Raise

More than 12,000 personnel of the Northrop and Northrop Divisions of Northrop Aircraft, Inc. will receive a three-cent an hour cost-of-living increase, effective May 5.

The raise is based on a 1.7 increase in the Consumers' Price Index, which reached 123.3 for the three-month period ended on March 15, 1958.

'Maverick' Leads Northside Parade

James Garner, star of the "Maverick" television program will be grand marshal of a parade which will open the North Torrance Little League season Sunday.

The procession will form at 10 a.m. at El Camino College and proceed south on Crenshaw Blvd. to 182nd St., west to 190th St. and Dominguez Field.

The star of "Maverick" will hurl the first ball which starts the season.

Exclusive of unrecorded attendance, about 1,850,000 persons are registered as members and participants in YWCA's throughout the United States, including 1,700,000 women and girls, and 150,000 men and boys.

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